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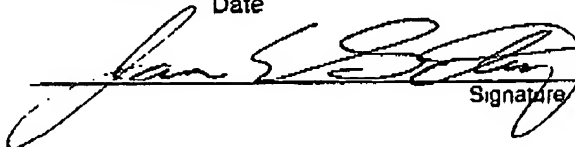
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This submission is in response to the Official Action mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 24, 2005. As of this Official Action, pending claims 1 - 44 stand rejected. In response to this Official Action, it is respectfully requested that the Office consider the following remarks and amendments to the above-referenced application.

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